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SITE-SPECIFIC STANDARDS FOR THE POINT WORONZOF WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT'S EFFLUENT DISCHARGE

Julie Howe requested that we prepare a request for site-specific standards for the Knik Arm metals that exceed EPA's chronic marine criteria.

The attached report provides the necessary water quality data, biological monitoring results, and toxicity testing results for ADEC to designate the site-specific standards we are requesting.

Since this is our second attempt to resolve this issue with ADEC, we request your timely review and action to move this process to completion.

BOB FUGE
Acting Manager, Treatment Division
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Attachment

cc: Douglas Redburn/ADEC
✓Carla Fisher/EPA
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RE: Site-Specific Standards for the Pt. Woronzof Wastewater
Treatment Facility's Effluent Discharge

Dear Mr. Lamoreaux:

On June 25, 1990 AWWU submitted to your office a request for site-specific standards for the Knik Arm metals that exceed EPA's chronic marine criteria. Site-specific standards for the Pt. Woronzof mixing zone are a requirement which must be met before EPA can renew our discharge permit and 301(h) secondary treatment waiver.

In a recent meeting, Carla Fisher of EPA Region 10 said she is currently reviewing our permit renewal application and may be in a position to reissue the permit shortly after January 1. The site-specific standards issue must be addressed by ADEC, however, before she can reissue the permit.

Since ADEC has not responded to our June 25 request, we at AWWU are becoming increasingly concerned that the site-specific standards may become the sole issue holding up the reissuance of the permit. Therefore, we strongly urge you to proceed with the public notification process required by EPA.

AWWU is prepared to help ADEC in any way possible throughout this procedure. If we can be of assistance please call me at 786-5502 or Kris Warren at 267-4510. Your efforts towards resolution of this issue are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Besse, P.E.
General Manager
AWWU

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